# Consolidated Edison Company of New York

# Steam Operations Storm Hardening: Impacts and Solutions

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  - New York City
  - Steam production facilities
  - Steam distribution system
- Storm hardening measures
  - Project goals
  - Production measures
  - Distribution measures



#### **Presenter Introductions**

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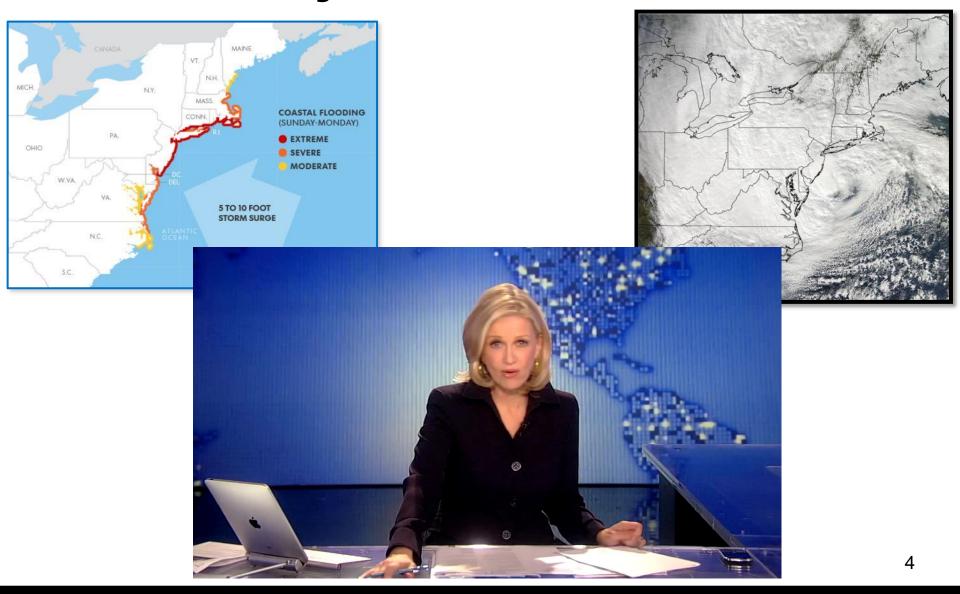
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## **New York City Coastal Storms**





# New York City Coastal Storms: Hurricane Sandy Preparation



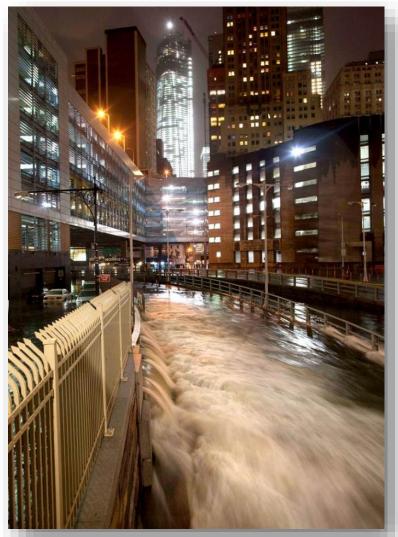


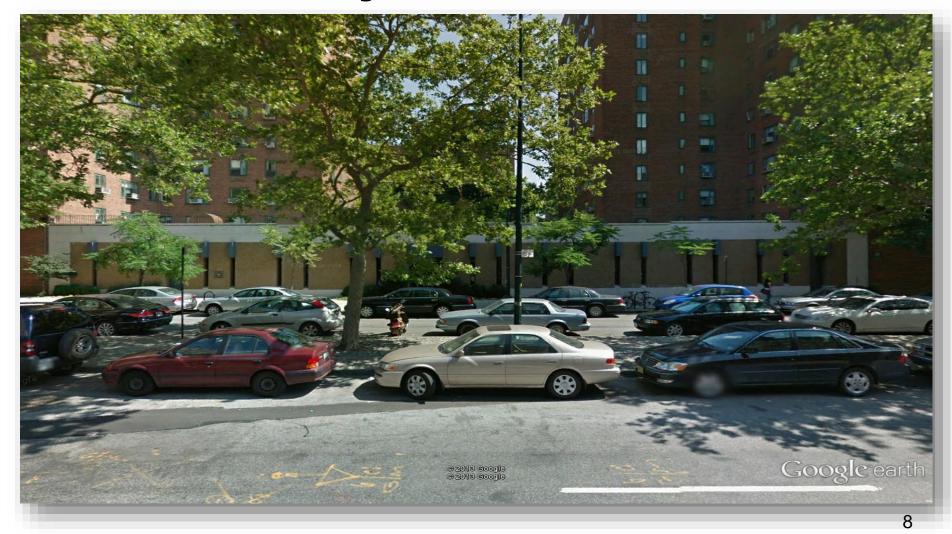






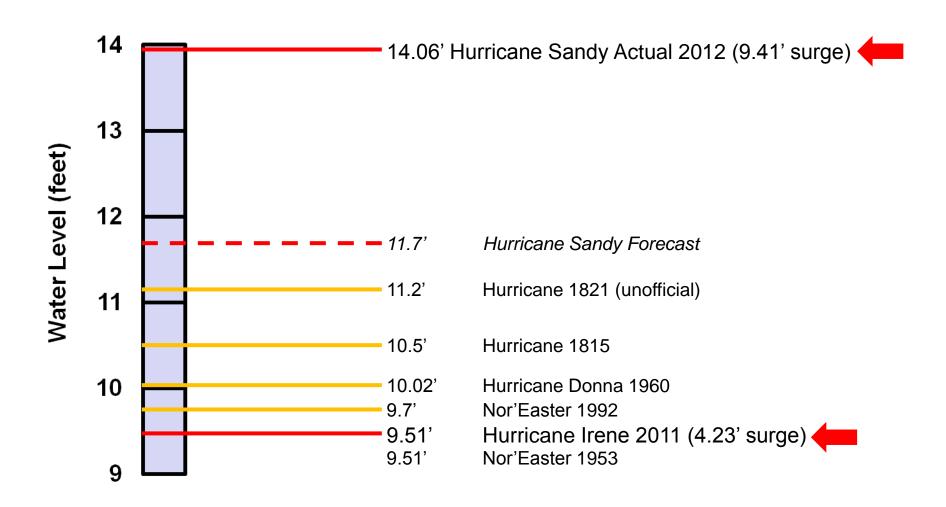






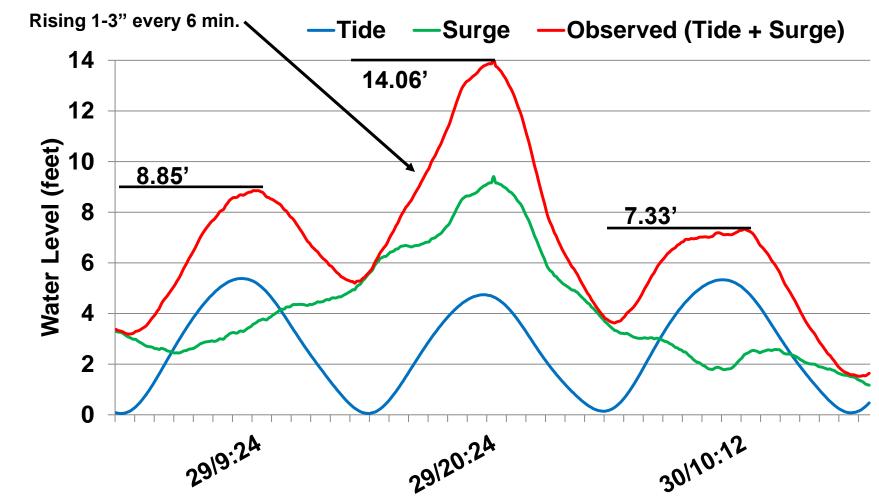


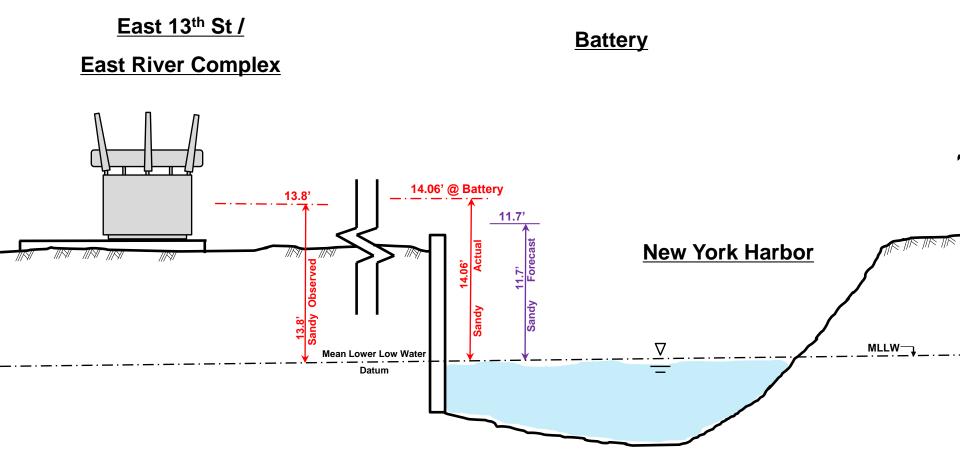
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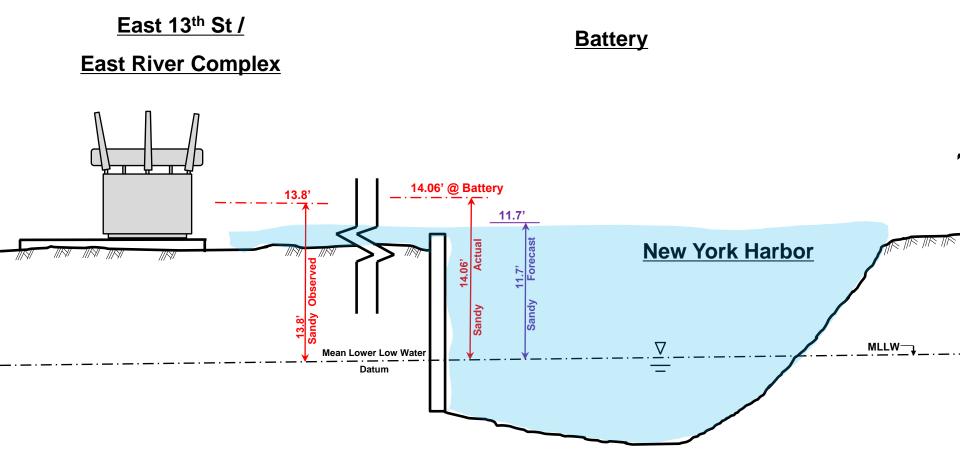


#### **Storm Tide Levels**

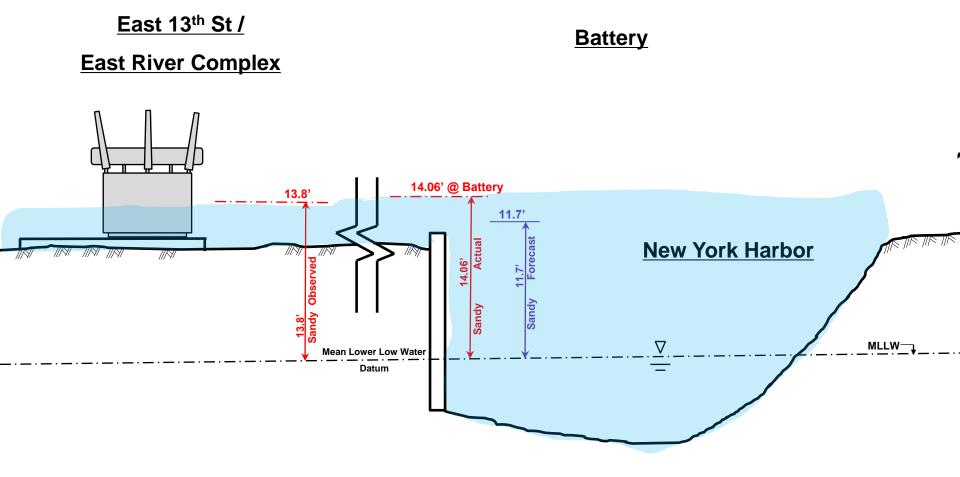






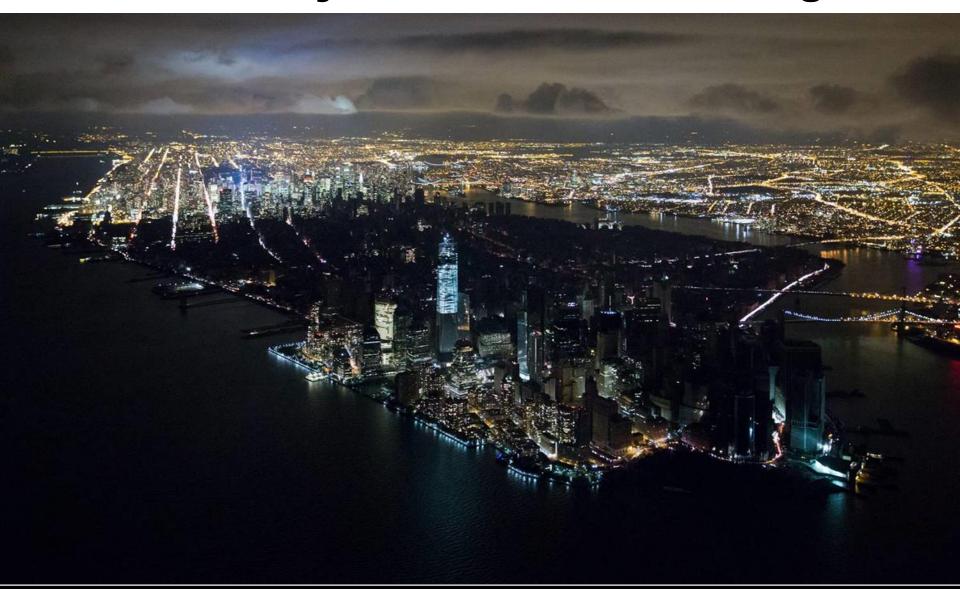








### **New York City – Massive Power Outage**



### **Steam Operations Impact**



- Steam
  - 561 services
    - 142 due to electric system issues in lower Manhattan
    - 53 due to availability of steam system capacity
    - 12 due to crane incident
  - Approximately 30 miles of steam mains impacted



### **Steam Operations Impact**



- Major Issues
  - Power Outages
  - Production Issues
    - Plants out of service
  - Distribution Issues
    - Downtown service
    - Valve locations
    - Failed valves



# Steam Storm Hardening Program Production Measures

# Level 1: Perimeter Protection

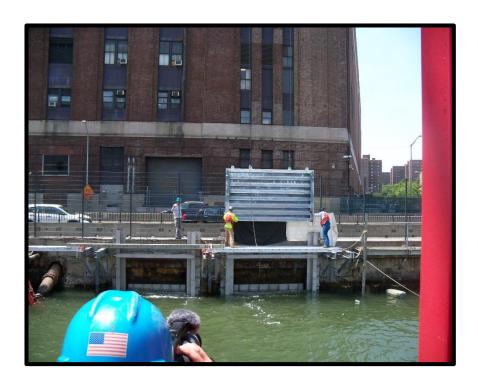
# **Tunnel Flood Protection: Frame Installation**







#### **Tunnel Flood Protection**





# **Tunnel Project: Concrete Floor Removal**









## **Flood Barriers**





# Level 2: Interior Protection

# **Concrete Flood Wall: Compartmentalizing Station**



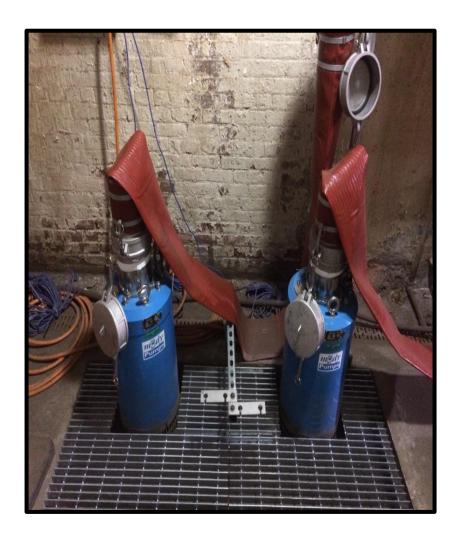
## Walls & Doors





# Level 3: Pumping Equipment

### **Submersible Pumps & Trash Pumps**





## **Trash Pumps & Diesel Generator**





## **Trash Pumps**





# Steam Storm Hardening Program Distribution Measures

#### **Steam Distribution Measures Overview**



- Remote Monitoring
   System Expansion
- 2. Public Health Corridor Tie
- Distribution / Transmission Tie
- Installation of Additional Main Valves
- Installation of Remote Operated Valves



### **Remote Monitoring System**

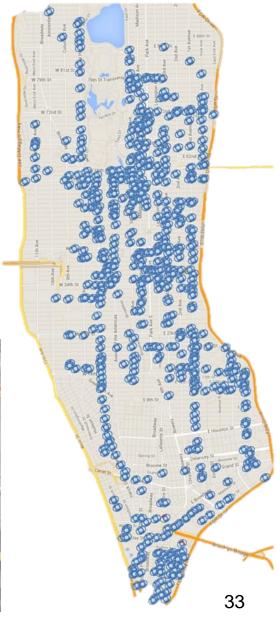
System Expansion:

Total Locations: 871

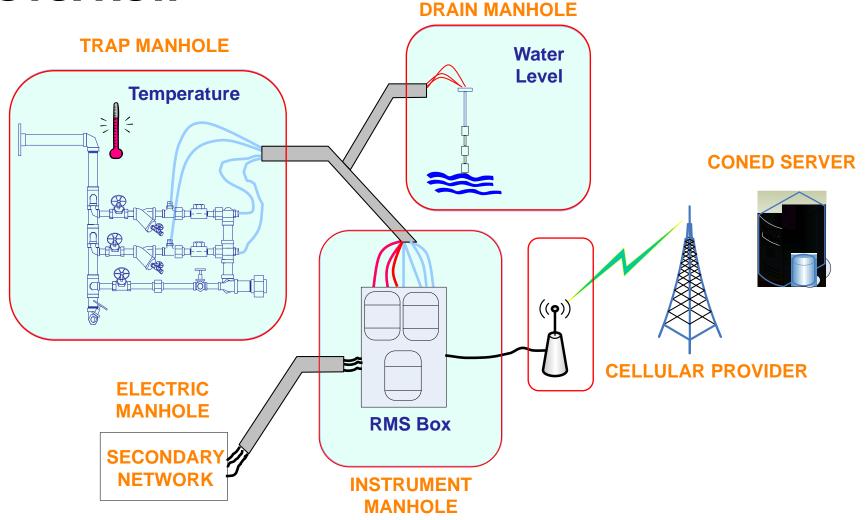
Water Level: 757

Trap Monitors: 747



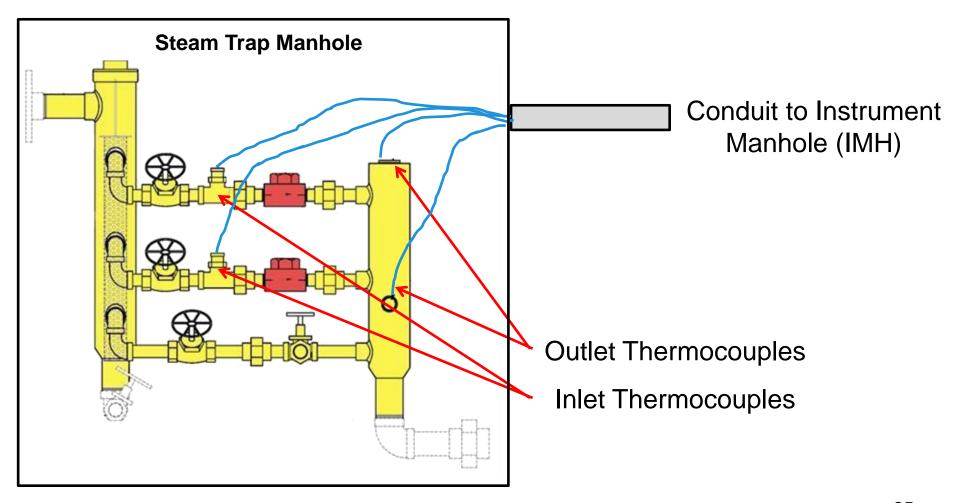


# Remote Monitoring System: Overview

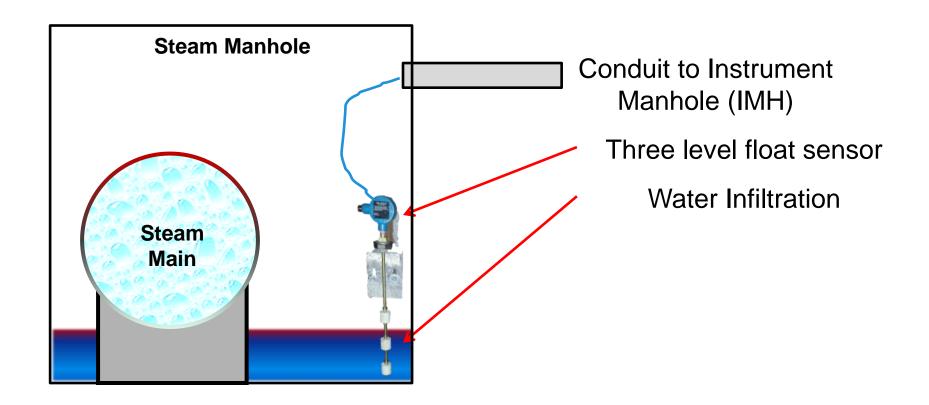




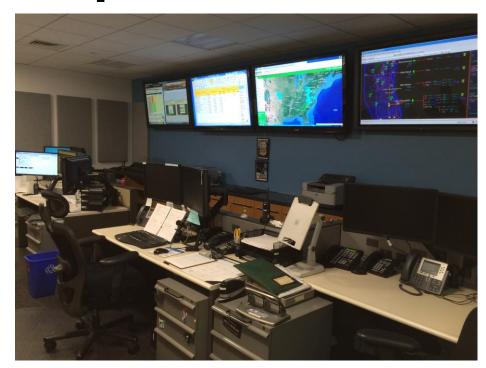
# Remote Monitoring System: Trap Manhole



# Remote Monitoring System: Steam Manhole

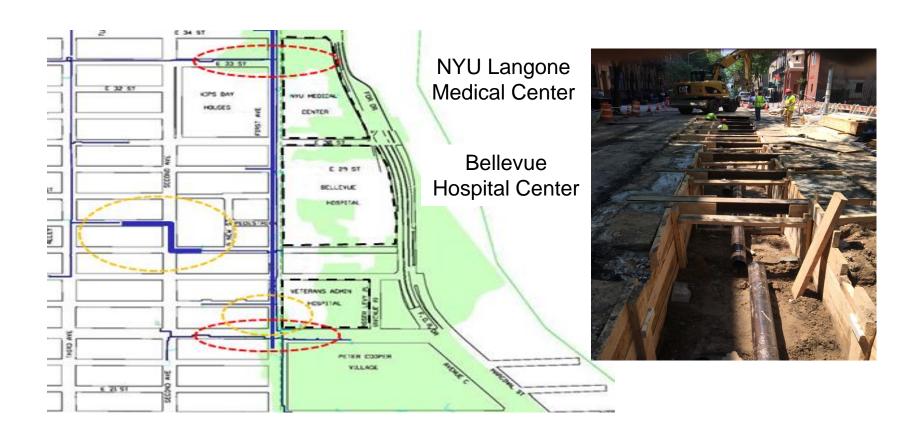


# Remote Monitoring System: Dispatch



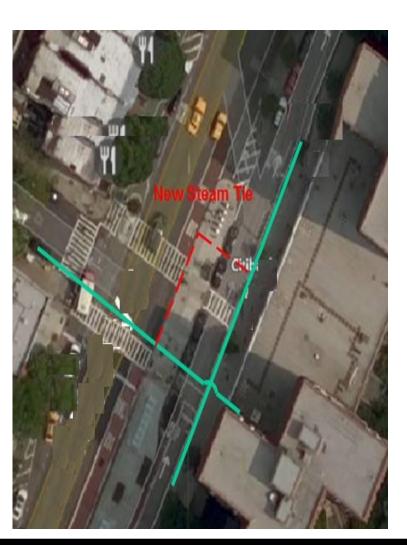


### Public Health Corridor: New Main Interconnect





# Distribution / Transmission Jumper: New Main Interconnect



 Enables the Company to keep the steam mains energized from the east side of lower midtown south to the west side of lower Manhattan



Additional Isolation Valves: Increased Sectionalizing Options

 Reduces size of outage areas

 Delivers steam right to the edge of the potential flood zones





### **Remote Operated Valves**

- Flexibility
- Safety









## **Questions?**

